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Sir:

A one (1) month extension of time, to and including December 22, 2008, where December 21, 2008 falls on a Sunday, is requested for response to the Final Office Action of August 21, 2008.

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